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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Aiden Flanagan

Confirmation No.: 3341

Application No.: 10/007,457

Group Art Unit: 1762

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Examiner: Jennifer Kolb Michener

For: METHOD FOR MAKING AND MEASURING A  
COATING ON THE SURFACE OF A MEDICAL  
DEVICE USING AN ULTRAVIOLET LASER

Attorney Docket No.: 10177-058

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 16, 2003 be extended for a period of one month from December 16, 2003, to and including, January 16, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$110.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: January 16, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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